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March 29, 2004

Ms. Blanco Bayo, Director
Commission Clerk and Administrative Services
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

RE: Docket No. 010977-TL

Dear Ms. Bayo,

Enclosed for filing in the above docket are the original and fifteen copies of the signed Affidavit of James B. Faison on behalf of GTC, Inc. d/b/a GT Com in the above referenced matter.

Please acknowledge receipt of these documents by stamping the extra copy of this letter "filed" and returning the copy to me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Mark Ellmer'. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

R. Mark Ellmer
Director of Accounting/Revenue Requirements
Enclosures

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the foregoing has been furnished by U. S. Mail, this 29th day of March, 2004, to the following:

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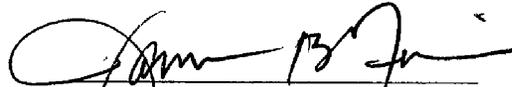
AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF GULF

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, appeared James B. Faison, who deposed and said:

1. My name is James B. Faison. I am employed by GTC, Inc. d/b/a GT Com ("GT Com" or the "Company") as its President. I am an officer of the Company and am authorized to give this affidavit on behalf of the Company. This affidavit is being given to support the Florida Public Service Commission's certification as contemplated in 47 C.F.R. §54.314.
2. GT Com hereby certifies that it will only use the federal high-cost support it receives during 2005 for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which such support is intended.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.


James B. Faison, President

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF GULF

Acknowledged before me this 29th day of March, 2004, by James B. Faison, as President of GTC, Inc., who is personally known and who did take an oath.



Karen A. Collinsworth
My Commission DD058863
Expires September 19, 2005


Notary Public
Karen A. Collinsworth

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